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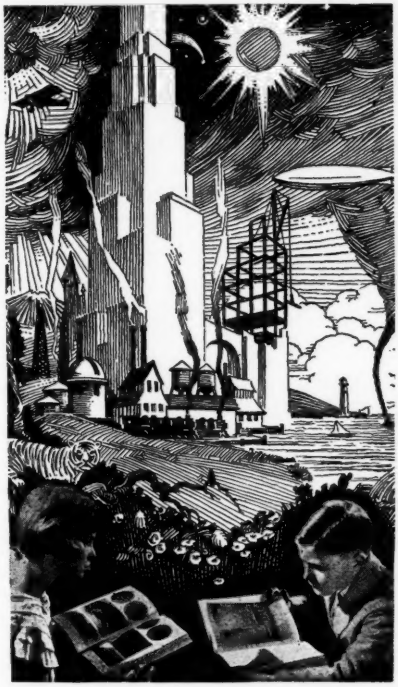

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EDITORIAL NOTES

THE MANCHURIAN CONFLICT

Prepared by Joseph Barnes, American Council, Institute of Pacific Relations

SINCE SEPTEMBER OF LAST YEAR, when the Japanese army occupied Manchuria, the rest of the world has followed closely the development of events in that troubled area. Manchuria is rich in natural resources and important to Japan, Russia, and China. The struggle for its control is subjecting the world's peace machinery to its most severe test since 1918. Opinions differ as to the results of this test, but it is in any case of very large interest to those who are concerned with the preservation of peace in the modern world.

Owen Lattimore's latest book, *Manchuria, cradle of conflict,* although recently written, refers to the present conflict only in footnotes. It gives the background of the struggle between three great civilizations, China, Russia, and Japan, in thoughtful and understanding terms. Sokolsky, writing on a background of many years of residence in China, brings the account of the conflict up to date in *The tinderbox of Asia,* giving special treatment to China, Japan, Russia, and the United States in their relations to the basic issues at stake.

The pressures which impinge upon Manchuria can be understood only through study of the countries which surround it. Dr. Nitobé, one of the best-known liberal statesmen in Japan, now a visitor in this country, has written a clear interpretation for western minds of the modern ideals of his country in *Japan.* Moulton and Orchard concern themselves with the economic and industrial situation in Japan. Moulton's book, *Japan: an economic and financial appraisal,* has valuable statistical appendices.

In describing the course of *The Chinese revolution,* Professor Holcombe has much to say of the relationship of Manchuria to China's

troubled history. It is a sympathetic and reliable description of the attempt to establish a stable republic in China. Grover Clark, former editor of an influential paper in Peiping, has written a valuable account of *Economic rivalries in China.* It includes a full treatment of the economic aspect of the Japanese policy in Manchuria.

The *Proceedings* of the Institute of Pacific Relations, an organization which brought Japanese and Chinese together around a conference table while the early fighting was going on in Manchuria last fall, have been edited by Bruno Lasker and published as *Problems of the Pacific, 1931.* They present in compact form the results of much research work and of three weeks of round-table discussion on most of the problems which bulk large in the Far East today. Chapters on China's foreign relations, Diplomatic machinery in the Pacific, and China's industrial development are of particular interest as supplying a necessary background for the Manchurian problem.

LATTIMORE, OWEN. Manchuria, cradle of conflict. 1932. Macmillan. $3.

SOKOLSKY, G. E. The tinderbox of Asia. 1932. Doubleday, Doran. $2.

NITOBÉ, INAZO. Japan. 1931. Scribner's. $5.

MOULTON, H. G. Japan: An Economic and Financial Appraisal. 1931. Brookings Institution, Washington, D. C. $4.

ORCHARD, J. E. Japan's economic position. 1930. McGraw-Hill. $5.

HOLCOMBE, A. N. The Chinese revolution. 1930. Harvard University Press. $4.

CLARK, GROVER. Economic rivalries in China. 1932. Yale University Press. $2.

LASKER, BRUNO, editor. Problems of the Pacific, 1931. 1932. University of Chicago Press. $5.

PAMPHLETS

Most of the pamphlet material which has appeared in English has been of an official and prejudiced character. Shuhsi Hsü has written the most open-minded of the Chinese expositions of the problem, while Professor Akagi, of Columbia University, has assembled in brief form the essential facts and figures from the Japanese point of view. A pamphlet prepared by the American Council of the Institute of Pacific Relations was written to aid adult-educational groups and describes in simple and objective terms the conflict and its importance to this country. The Foreign Policy Association has issued three

reports on different aspects of the problem, which are technical but reliable.

Hsü, Shuhsi. The Manchurian question. 1931. Institute of Pacific Relations, 129 East 52nd Street, N. Y. 65c.

Akagi, R. H. Understanding Manchuria: a handbook of facts. Author, White Plains, N. Y. 25c.

Conflict in the Far East, 1931–1932. 1932. Institute of Pacific Relations, 129 East 52nd Street, N. Y. 25c.

Bisson, T. A. Basic treaty issues in Manchuria between Japan and China, December 23, 1931. Foreign Policy Association, 18 East 41st Street, N. Y. 25c.

Railway Rivalries in Manchuria between China and Japan. April 13, 1932. Foreign Policy Association. 25c.

Manchoukuo. June 8, 1932. Foreign Policy Association, 25c.

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In a forty-seven page booklet, the American Council of the Institute of Pacific Relations has summarized the *Conflict in the Far East, 1931–1932*. The course of the controversy, the causes, the United States and League policy, and the way out are discussed by unprejudiced specialists. This is valuable material at a low price—twenty-five cents from the Institute, 129 East Fifty-second Street, New York.

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The National Committee on Prisons and Prison Labor, 250 West Fifty-seventh Street, New York, has, free, a second edition of J. L. Moreno's *Application of the group method to classification*. This 104-page booklet considers the possibility of transforming the prison community "into a socialized community through a method of assignment of prisoners to social groups."

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The New York Public Library Bulletin for June, 1932, prints a list of "Recent additions to the German collections." Two cents for a single copy; twenty-five cents a year.

THE WORLD OF SCHOLARSHIP HAS ALREADY WELCOMED the first volumes of the catalogs of the British Museum and of the Bibliothèque Nationale. The appearance of the first volume of the *Gesamtkatalog der Preussischen Bibliotheken** is, therefore, of peculiar significance, for it means that there is now—or shortly will be—available comprehensive listings of the work of writers in the three major languages. The *Gesamtkatalog* is perhaps an even more ambitious effort than are the other two national bibliographies for, as its title suggests, it lists the holdings not only of the largest German library—the Preussische Staatsbibliothek in Berlin—but also those of fifteen other great Prussian libraries, the sixteen having total resources of over seven million volumes. In addition, the holdings of the Bavarian State Library and of the National Library of Vienna are indicated where these coincide with those of the sixteen Prussian libraries.

Each of the volumes of the *Gesamtkatalog* is planned for not less than 480 pages of two columns each, twenty entries to a column. The completed catalog will comprise 150 volumes and will consequently be a list of nearly three million titles.

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**Gesamtkatalog der Preussischen Bibliotheken. Mit Nachweis des Identischen Besitzes der Bayerischen Staatsbibliothek in München und der Nationalbibliothek in Wien. Herausgegeben von der Preussischen Staatsbibliothek. Vol. 1 A—Advent. Berlin, Preussische Druckerei-und Verlags-Aktiengesellschaft, 1931. Rm. 90 per vol. Reviewed by J. Periam Danton, A.L.A. Headquarters Staff.*

CLASSIFIED BOOKS

000 GENERAL WORKS

Ledbetter, *Mrs.* **Eleanor (Edwards)** *comp.* Polish literature in English translation; a bibliography with a list of books about Poland and the Poles; comp. with notes and comment by E. E. Ledbetter. N. Y., Pub. under the auspices of the Polish national alliance by H. W. Wilson, 1932. 45p. paper, 60c.

"This bibliography has been compiled to help the student find all the Polish literature that is available in English, however obscure or unobtrusive its hiding place. A list of books about Poland and the Poles has been appended. This does not include current periodical literature, which can be located through the *Readers' Guide to Periodical Literature* and other indexes. From the magazine *Poland,* which is unfortunately not indexed, all the translations have been listed, also biographical sketches, and articles on customs, since there is much demand for material on these topics and little available." —*Introd.* The list is classified, with bibliographical information, and some annotations. A helpful tool for librarians in Polish communities.

016.89185 Polish literature — Translations into English—Bibl. || English literature—Translations from Polish—Bibl. || Poland—Bibl. || Polish literature—Bibl.
32-10973

The **New** international year book; a compendium of the world's progress for the year 1931; editor, H. T. Wade. N. Y. Funk & Wagnalls, 1932. 856p. illus. maps. $6.75.

The first volume of this annual to appear under the Funk & Wagnalls imprint retains unchanged the plan and format of previous volumes. It gives the usual excellent summary of world events and a survey of art, literature, music, and the theater.

*030 Encyclopedias and dictionaries || Yearbooks (8-19149)

Randall, William Madison. The college library. Chic. American library association and the Univ. of Chic. press, 1932. 165p. diag. $2.50.

"A descriptive study of the libraries in four-year liberal arts colleges in the United States."—*Subtitle.* The study is well rounded and is based on data from two hundred colleges. It covers buildings, staff, book collections, and finances.

027.773 Libraries, University || Libraries —U. S.
32-11814

100-200 PHILOSOPHY—RELIGION

Brawley, Benjamin Griffith. History of the English hymn. N. Y. Abingdon, 1932. 256p. illus. $2 plus postage.

The author makes a careful study of hymn writers and of the circumstances attending the writing of the most famous hymns, and shows the evolution from Greek and Latin to modern English and American hymns, quoting many of them fully or in part. Approach is literary rather than musical.

245.2 Hymns, English—Hist. & crit.
32-11467

The classification numbers used in the *Booklist* are those assigned by the Office for decimal classification numbers on Library of Congress cards, maintained at the Library of Congress by members of the American Library Association; the subject headings used are those given on the Library of Congress card. *Exception:* For entries marked with an asterisk (*) numbers and subject headings were assigned in the *Booklist* office because they were not yet available from Washington. Use all or part of the classification number and subject headings given here; simplify to suit your own collection.

When the number is enclosed in curves ( ) it indicates that the L. C. card is an open entry card used for a series or a several-volumed set appearing at intervals. When the number is enclosed in brackets [ ] it indicates that the card is for some other edition than the American one listed, usually the English.

The selection and annotation of business books by Nellie M. Fisher is sponsored by the Business libraries section of the American Library Association.

Jones, Rufus Matthew. A preface to Christian faith in a new age. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 206p. $2.

Spiritual confusion is at present as profound and probably as serious as economic confusion, the author feels, and leaders of thought should point out those realities which still abide because of their eternal quality. Some of the chapter subjects are: Obstacles and hindrances to Christian faith in a new age, The nature and the mission of the church, A new emphasis in education.

261 Christianity 32-13650

Morgan, John Jacob Brooke. Making the most of your life, by J. J. B. Morgan and E. T. Webb. N. Y. Long & Smith, 1932. 250p. illus. $2.50.

Meeting and solving the difficulties of everyday life by the application of practical psychology is shown to have led to efficient living and business success. Incidents in the careers of many well known people are quoted as examples of obstacles overcome. *Partial contents:* Outwitting your handicaps —Are you boss of your emotions?—How to concentrate—Value and use of humor—How to get trustworthy advice—It pays to be modest.

174 Success 32-10639

Page, Kirby. Living creatively. N. Y. Farrar & Rinehart, 1932. 305p. $2.

Short inspirational chapters, with such titles as Gain vision and serenity through silence, Seek beauty, Cultivate friendship and fellowship, Explore great biographies, and Cooperate creatively with God, are followed by selections intended for daily reading, arranged under similar headings. Useful material for religious organizations and for work with young people in camps and clubs.

*170 Conduct of life 32-14411

Prichard, Harold Adye. The minister, the method, and the message; suggestions on preaching. N. Y. Scribner, 1932. 303p. $2.50.

Believing that churches are witnessing a revival of interest in preaching which offers great opportunities to ministers, the rector of St. Mark's church, Mt. Kisco, N. Y., offers advice and encouragement regarding the preacher's mission, as well as his technique. In the second part, devoted to preparation and delivery of sermons, nine well known preachers tell their individual methods.

251 Preaching 32-8289

Quayle, Margaret S. As told by business girls; problems in personal adjustment. N. Y. Womans press, 1932. 137p. $1.50.

In terms of the business girl's experience some of the more recent and usable findings of modern psychology are made available, with the aim of helping young business women meet obstacles and adjust themselves to their jobs. The book is based on the experience in office, home, and social life of one hundred and twenty girls.

137 [331.4] Young women || Personality || Woman—Employment 32-12084

Thom, Douglas Armour. Normal youth and its everyday problems. N. Y. Appleton, 1932. 367p. $2.50; school ed., $2.25.

In this book, addressed to teachers and parents, the problems of normal adolescence and the physical and emotional changes that are disturbing factors during this period are treated with understanding and sympathy. "It is not a treatise on morbid psychology nor on delinquent or defective children. It is a volume of information about the problems that normally arise in the passage from childhood to the adult stage, and of advice about how these may best be treated to avoid unhappiness at the time and more serious consequences later."—*Introd.*

*136.7 Child study || Adolescence 32-26566

Yates, Dorothy Hazeltine. Psychological racketeers. Bost. Badger, 1932. 232p. $2.

"The author, who is a professor of psychology in San Jose, California, Teachers College, has made a special study of the so-called psychologist who goes about the country giving lectures, organizing courses, analyzing character, and selling his books and pamphlets at exorbitant prices, and in so doing has exposed still another 'racket'."—*Wisconsin Library Journal.*

*174 32-26678

300 SOCIOLOGY

American historical association. *Commission on the social studies in the schools.* A charter for the social sciences in the schools; drafted by C. A. Beard. N. Y. Scribner, 1932. 122p. $1.25.

This volume is the first of a series which will present the results of a study, sponsored

by the American historical association, of social science teaching in the United States. The author states the objectives for instruction in the social studies from the points of view of the requirements of scholarship, the demands of the social order, and the requirements of the teaching and learning process.

307 Social sciences—Study and teaching 32-12720

Applegate, Frank Guy. Native tales of New Mexico; introd. by Mary Austin; with illus. in color by the author. Phil. Lippincott, 1932. 263p. illus. $2.50.

Additional folklore tales and contemporary stories of the Southwest, collected and retold by the author of *Indian stories from the Pueblos* (*Booklist* 26:231, Mr 30) and illustrated with his own water colors.

*398 Folk-lore 32-26635

Bonbright, James Cummings. The holding company, its public significance and its regulation, by J. C. Bonbright and G. C. Means. N. Y. McGraw-Hill, 1932. 398p. diag. $4.

What is a holding company and how does it work? How has it developed in the industrial, utility, and banking fields? The authors answer these questions and discuss the social and political significance of these super-corporations.

380.16 Corporations—U. S. || Trusts, Industrial 32-8783

Bonds without safety. N. Y. New republic, 1932. 240p. paper, $1.

An ex-employee of a large mortgage bond house tells the inside story of the over-expansion of the mortgage bond selling business under prosperity conditions, and explains the present plight of many small investors who placed their savings in this type of "security."

332.63 Bonds || Real estate business—Finance 32-10983

Borchard, Edwin Montefiore. Convicting the innocent; errors of criminal justice, by E. M. Borchard with the collaboration of E. R. Lutz. New Haven, Yale univ.; Lond. Oxford, 1932. 421p. $3.75.

"A collection of sixty-five cases, for the most part American, in which men and women have been convicted of crimes of which they were later proven innocent. The authors plead not only for greater care in identification, etc., but also for some provision in law by which such persons might be indemnified."—*Book Review Digest.*

343 Justice, Administration of || Crime and criminals 32-13534

Cantor, Nathaniel F. Crime, criminals and criminal justice. N. Y. Holt, 1932. 470p. $3.50.

This survey of the present status of criminology and penology covers a large field in brief space, dealing with subjects ranging from the nature of crime to specific methods of treating criminals. Much useful information is given in clear, non-technical form. An appendix summarizes the penal system of the soviet union.

364.973 Crime and criminals—U. S. || Justice, Administration of—U. S. || Criminal procedure—U. S. || Punishment || Prisons—U. S. 32-11261

Clark, Grover. Economic rivalries in China. New Haven, Pub. for the Carnegie endowment for international peace by Yale univ.; Lond. Oxford, 1932. 132p. $2.

A study of the growing economic self-assertion of the Chinese and their competition in activities formerly controlled by foreigners in China—railway building, mine operation, finance, and foreign trade.

*330.951 China—Econ. condit. 32-26640

Davis, Forrest. What price Wall street? N. Y. Godwin, 1932. 376p. $3.

In this lively historical survey of Wall street, a journalist reveals the part that speculative finance has played in our economic history, and particularly in the recurring panics of the past. He ends with an optimistic vision of a possible new economic order based on social control.

332.6 Wall street || Speculation || Panics || Capitalists and financiers—U. S. 32-14412

Hickernell, Warren Fayette. What makes stock market prices? N. Y. Harper, 1932. 199p. diag. $3.

Explains to the general public how insiders manipulate prices through pools and other artificial forms of control. The different kinds of pools, the part that short selling plays in their activities, and the fundamental economic forces which help to shape business cycles are described. Authoritative, but

rather highly specialized.—*Nellie M. Fisher.*

332.64 Stock-exchange || Speculation 32-11601

Hoar, Roger Sherman. Unemployment insurance in Wisconsin. South Milwaukee, Wis., The Stuart press, 1932. 105p. $2 plus 16c for postage.

The text of the Wisconsin compulsory unemployment insurance act, which became a law in January 1932, is given in full with a detailed analysis and the text of the majority and minority reports. One chapter cites the objections to compulsory systems and others outline the various voluntary unemployment insurance plans proposed or in effect in Wisconsin industries.

331.2544409775 Insurance, Unemployment—Wisconsin 32-7711

Knudsen, Charles William. Evaluation and improvement of teaching (in secondary schools) Garden City, N. Y., Doubleday, Doran, 1932. 538p. diag. $2.50.

Material used in a graduate course in the evaluation and improvement of teaching is here organized as a text for teachers' colleges and schools of education. It is addressed to both teachers and supervisors, and it presents a basis for evaluating and plans for improving teaching in secondary schools.

371.3 [373] School superintendents and principals || School management and organization || Teaching || Education, Secondary 32-7648

Kommissarzhevskiĭ, Fedor Fedorovich. The costume of the theatre. N. Y. Holt, 1932. 178p. illus. 26cm. $5.

Although this book is not a complete history of stage costume, and possibly not the most useful one for general library use, it is an interesting presentation of the use of costume in the theater at different periods, and of the author's theories of the relation of costume and drama. It includes chapters on costume of the Greek and Roman theaters, of miracle and morality plays, and of the English stage from the sixteenth to twentieth centuries.

391 Costume 32-26508

Le Cron, *Mrs.* Helen (Cowles) How to be a clubwoman, by H. C. LeCron and Edith W. McElroy. N. Y. Appleton, 1932. 157p. $1.50.

Although planned as a guide for amateurs, even experienced clubwomen will find this book profitable reading on such varied topics as When you organize your club, If you are elected club president, How to be a program chairman, How to write a club paper, How to make a speech, When you entertain your club, Publications for the clubwoman. The authors conduct the club department of *Better Homes and Gardens* and some of the material has appeared in that magazine.

396 [367] Woman—Societies and clubs 32-11044

Lewinson, Paul. Race, class, & party; a history of negro suffrage and white politics in the South. N. Y. Oxford, 1932. 302p. front. $3.75.

An impartial study of the franchise south of the Mason-Dixon line. The occasional uniting of a fundamentally bipartisan South through fear of negro control and the frequent exploitation of the negro vote are emphasized. Various liberalizing factors of today are pointed out. The book is a contribution toward a better understanding of the race question.

325.26 Negroes—Politics and suffrage || Southern states—Pol. & govt. || Suffrage—Southern states || U. S.—Race question 32-10400

Meiklejohn, Alexander. The experimental college. N. Y. Harper, 1932. 421p. port. $3.50.

The course of the notable experiment in education carried on at the University of Wisconsin during the past four years is described by the director who gives also the recommendations adopted by the faculty and the lesson assignments.

*378 Universities and colleges 32-26739

Myers, Denys Peter. World disarmament, its problems and prospects. Bost. World peace foundation, 1932. 370p. $2.50.

The mass of material, well coordinated and reliable, that is contained in this book, provides a background for the study and understanding of the debated question of armament reduction. The author discusses the problems that faced the Disarmament conference, the work that had preceded it, particularly the Draft convention, and the factors that are working for or against disarmament today. Statistics and arbitration texts are given in appendixes.

341.6 Disarmament || Conference for the reduction and limitation of armaments, Geneva, 1932 32-14197

National congress of parents and teachers. Parent education; the third year book. Washington, D. C., National congress of parents and teachers, n. d. 228p. paper, $1.

"The present volume attempts to arrange articles from past *Child Welfare* magazines in such a way as to give adequate material for study groups in parent-teacher associations, together with some suggestions as to the use of this material. The articles which the book contains may be used by preschool study groups, by groups of mothers of children of school age, and by study groups composed of mothers of children of junior highschool and highschool age."—*Preface.* Twenty pages of reviews of books for parents, reprinted from *Child Study, Child Welfare,* and *Childhood Education,* form an excellent bibliography.

*371 Parents' and teachers' associations || Parent and child (30-26971)

National industrial conference board. The competitive position of coal in the United States. N. Y. National industrial conference board, 1931. 288p. illus. diag. $3.

"To go behind the bare statistics of production and discover what has been the reason for a stationary demand for coal in a period of industrial advance is the purpose of the present volume. The National Industrial Conference Board has sought to explain this apparently abnormal situation by making a detailed study of present and past conditions in the consumption of coal, in order to gain a basis for judging the probable outlook for the future of the industry."—*Preface. Contents:* The position of the United States in the world coal industry—Coal consumption by major uses—Consumption of coal by regions—Competitive problems and policies.

338.2 Coal trade—U. S. 32-26249

——A picture of world economic conditions at the beginning of 1932. N. Y. National industrial conference board, 1932. 287p. $3.

An up-to-date study which "deals with the status of affairs at the beginning of 1932 and gives as a background the record of the eventful year 1931, in which a series of unusual occurrences shook the economic system of the occidental world to its very foundations and gave rise to ominous problems in the Orient."—*Preface.*

*330.9 Economic conditions—1918- (28-30762)

——Sales taxes: general, selective, and retail. N. Y. National industrial conference board, 1932. 79p. $2.

An impartial statement regarding the economic and fiscal possibilities of sales taxes. "The aim of this publication is not an exhaustive research into the history and application of sales taxes but a brief presentation of the salient features of the modern problems of sales taxation. These taxes are a matter of concern in many special lines of business and through them, and through the possibility in state or nation of a general sales tax, to business generally and to the people at large." —*Preface.*

336.27 Taxation—U. S. 32-14547

——Wages in the United States, 1931. N. Y. National industrial conference board, 1932. 78p. paper, $1.

A study of the extent to which the depression has affected the wage earner. "It presents in compact form the record of changes in wages, hours, and employment during 1931 and supplements the more extensive report issued last year, entitled 'Wages in the United States, 1914–1930' (*Booklist* 28:12, S 31)"—*Preface.*

331.2973 Wages—U. S. 32-15175

Oglesby, Catharine. Business opportunities for women. N. Y. Harper, 1932. 300p. $2.50.

Brief surveys of opportunities in advertising, selling, merchandising, finance, personnel work, and other callings, showing salaries paid and in many cases the educational requirements and the training necessary for success. A few of the professions are included and the section on opportunities for older women increases the book's usefulness.—*Nellie M. Fisher.*

371.425 [396.5] Woman — Employment || Profession, Choice of || Occupations 32-13694

Renatus, Kuno. The twelfth hour of capitalism; tr. from the German by E. W. Dickes. N. Y. Knopf, 1932. 246p. $2.50.

A German economist blames the redistribution of wealth resulting from international debts and reparations for much of the present economic distress, but he considers internal debts in creditor countries an equally disturbing factor. His suggestion is that the United States reduce its internal loans

through conversion of Liberty and Victory loans.

330.904 Economic conditions — 1918- || European war, 1914–1918—Reparations || Debts, Public || Capitalism 32-26565

Sanderson, Ezra Dwight. The rural community; the natural history of a sociological group. Bost. Ginn, 1932. 723p. illus. maps. $4.40.

A sociological study of the rural community in the United States including historical and economic aspects of the group life. Planned for use as a textbook and for readers with slight sociological background.

323.3 Sociology, Rural || Community life || Villages || Country life 32-3468

Stubbs, Ansel Hartley, *ed.* Financial and social success in welfare plans. 615 Wyandotte St., Kansas City, Mo., Inter-collegiate press, 1932. 267p. illus. $1.50.

This book outlines one hundred and twenty-five projects such as bazaars, rummage and auction sales, food sales, entertainments, socials, picnics, style shows, and baby shows, which various clubs, churches, and societies have used successfully to raise money.

361.8 Social service || Amusements 32-26218

Washburne, Carleton Wolsey. Remakers of mankind. N. Y. John Day, 1932. 339p. $3.

The author, well known for his vital interest in modern progressive education and his writings in that field, made a world tour to ascertain from educational leaders in many countries what they believe should be the motivating principles and aims in the education of the rising generation. This interesting book records his findings, interpreting many of his interviews and describing some of the strange scenes and events witnessed on his travels.

*370 Education 32-26740

Whitney, Richard. Short selling, for and against, by Richard Whitney and W. R. Perkins. N. Y. Appleton, 1932. 181p. $1.25.

Both sides of the short-selling controversy are given in speeches and statements by Richard Whitney, president of the New York stock exchange, and William R. Perkins, a critic of the practice. The text of the La Guardia bill is given in an appendix.

332.64 Speculation || New York. Stock exchange || Stocks 32-11262

500-600 NATURAL SCIENCE—USEFUL ARTS

American booktrade directory; including lists of publishers, booksellers, periodicals, literary agents, book clubs, etc. N. Y. Bowker, 1932. 351p. $10.

The 1928 directory was noted in *Booklist* 25:235, Mr 29. Similar information about booksellers, publishers, book dealers, and book trade periodicals of the United States and Canada is given in this annual, with a list of British publishers and their American representatives. A valuable, large library reference work.

655.4 Book industries and trade—U. S. || Book collectors || Publishers and publishing (15-23627)

Braymer, Daniel Harvey. Rewinding and connecting alternating-current motors, by D. H. Braymer and A. C. Roe. N. Y. McGraw-Hill, 1932. 372p. illus. diag. $3.50.

"For everyday use by maintenance men in industrial plants, by winders in electrical service and repair shops, and by students pursuing electrical courses."—*Subtitle.* A well illustrated manual of practical procedure, suitable for reference use or study.

621.31364 Electric motors, Induction 32-12935

Collins, Kenneth. The road to good advertising. N. Y. Greenberg, 1932. 217p. $2.50.

The vice president of R. H. Macy's store gives pertinent and practical suggestions for writing advertising copy. He tells how to test good copy by checking the sales which it brings. The first book on this subject for the small library is *Aesop Glim, advertising fundamentalist* (*Booklist* 27:246, F 32). A more advanced text, Surrey's *Copy technique in advertising* (*Booklist* 27:445, Je 31) and Collins are good second and third purchases for larger libraries. Lacks an index.—*Nellie M. Fisher.*

659.1 Advertising 32-11256

Douglas, George Margaretta. Health and home nursing. N. Y. Putnam, 1932. 383p. illus. $2.50.

Only those activities and procedures have been included which are practicable for use by the untrained person in the home. Although primarily a text, the book is unusually practical and suggestive for home use.

Teaching material and a reading list are included.

*649 Nurses and nursing 32-26643

Earhart, Amelia. The fun of it; random records of my own flying and of women in aviation; with 31 illus. N. Y. Brewer, Warren & Putnam, 1932. 218p. illus. $2.

In a simple informal fashion Miss Earhart writes sensibly about her own experiences and those of other women flyers. The last chapter gives a brief account of her recent solo flight across the Atlantic. Thirty illustrations from photographs.

629.13 Aeronautics || Women as aviators 32-26741

Eaton, Hunter. What every woman should know about an automobile. N. Y. Simon & Schuster, 1932. 153p. illus. $1.50.

A non-technical book about the mechanism and the handling of an automobile, written clearly and with humor. A few simple diagrams and cartoon drawings make effective illustrations.

*629.2 Automobiles 32-26685

Eckstein, Gustav. Lives. N. Y. Harper, 1932. 216p. illus. $2.50.

Delightful sketches of cats, canaries, rats, cockroaches, turtles, a parrot, a macaw, and a pigeon, all at various times inhabitants of the author's laboratory. *Noguchi,* a biography by this author, was entered in *Booklist* 27:496, Jl 31.

591.5 Animals, Legends and stories of 32-11605

Ehrenfeld, Louis. The story of common things; illus. by Joe Richards. N. Y. Minton, 1932. 203p. illus. $2.50.

The simple chemistry of the common materials of everyday use—sugar, salt, paper, glass, soap, and others—is made understandable and interesting to the layman, and the importance of chemical science in modern life is demonstrated.

660 Technology || Chemistry, Technical 32-12829

Felt, Ephraim Porter. Insects and diseases of ornamental trees and shrubs, by E. P. Felt and W. H. Rankin. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 507p. illus. $5.

A combination of Felt's *Manual of tree and shrub insects* (*Booklist* 21:97, D 24) and Rankin's *Manual of tree diseases* (*Booklist* 15:253, Ap 19) "entirely rewritten and brought down to date."—*Preface.* Importance of prevention, thorough spraying, tree surgery, and general care, is emphasized.

*632 Trees—Diseases and pests 32-26646

Garland, Joseph. The youngest of the family, his care and training. Cambridge, Harvard univ., 1932. 196p. illus. $2.

Elementary advice for inexperienced parents, covering the feeding and training of babies and very young children, and their care in health and during minor diseases. Well written, practical, and readable. Includes a chapter on the premature baby.

649.1 Infants—Care and hygiene || Infants—Nutrition 32-11786

Hotchkiss, George Burton. New business English, by G. B. Hotchkiss and Celia A. Drew. N. Y. American book co., 1932. 394p. illus. $1.16.

Although based upon the authors' *Business English* (American book co., 1916. $1.20. 16–13163) a standard text for many years, this is really a new book. It instills principles of "correct, courteous and forceful diction by the use of cases as illustrations and by the sensible modern style which is used." Both its price and excellence recommend it for the very small library.—*Nellie M. Fisher.*

651.74 Commercial correspondence || English language—Business English 32-6881

Landman, Jacob Henry. Human sterilization; the history of the sexual sterilization movement. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 341p. illus. diag. $4.

This thoroughly documented study of the program for sterilization of the socially undesirable covers legislation, statistics of the feebleminded and mentally diseased, questions of eugenics and heredity, and the surgery and effects of sterilization. The book represents a careful survey of many aspects of the problem and is not propaganda. Bibliography: p. 315–332.

613.94 Sterilization of criminals and defectives 32-10811

Link, Henry Charles. The new psychology of selling and advertising.

N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 293p. illus. diag. $3.

The author spends little time on layout, copy, and technique (unlike Collins, also in this issue) but shows how to crystallize the wants of customers into active demand. He emphasizes the statistical and psychological studies that should precede good advertising and marketing programs, and the methods for testing their effectiveness.—*Nellie M. Fisher.*

658.801 Advertising || Psychology, Applied || Salesmen and salesmanship || Market surveys 32-10405

Mahachek, Ross. Airplane pilot's manual. N. Y. Putnam, 1932. 383p. illus. diag. $5.

Aims to assist, not replace, the flight instructor. "Part one . . . discusses recent developments in civil aviation and the desirable qualifications of a pilot. Part two explains the knowledge of airplanes and the preliminary preparations needed for the most effective flight training. The elementary maneuvers in learning to fly are treated in a sequence extending up to qualification for a private pilot's license. Part three describes methods of making advanced maneuvers and extended flights."—*Preface.*

629.13 Aeroplanes—Piloting 32-11782

Maternity center association. Maternity handbook for pregnant mothers and expectant fathers; text prepared by Anne A. Stevens; illus. by Margaret Ayer. N. Y. Putnam, 1932. 178p. illus. $1.

Clearly written, elementary advice addressed to prospective mothers and fathers, explaining in detail how the husband can aid the doctor when no nurse is present and can care for the patient afterwards. It covers hygiene and diet of pregnancy, clothing, simple and inexpensive preparations for a home birth, and the early care and training of the baby. Well illustrated. Unusually practical.

618.2 Pregnancy 32-26564

Ortloff, Henry Stuart. Annuals in the garden; drawings by H. B. Raymore. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 88p. illus. $1.25.

Biennials, tuberous-rooted and bulbous plants are included, as well as the strictly annual ones. Photographs and planting diagrams show the possibilities of gardens planted with annuals alone, or with annuals combined with perennials. There are chapters on window boxes, rock gardens and hanging gardens, information about cultivation and propagation, flowers for cutting, and lists of varieties.

635.931 Floriculture || Gardens 32-13321

Peffer, Nathaniel. Educational experiments in industry (Studies in adult education) N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 207p. $1.50.

Western electric, Dennison manufacturing company, Ford motor company, Standard oil, American telephone and telegraph, American institute of banking, and the New York stock exchange are some of the concerns whose employee training systems are described. The author has tried to give in broad outlines a picture of what industry is doing for its workers and what the relations of these experiments may be to the American educational system.

607 Technical education—U. S. || Vocational education—U. S. || Apprentices—U. S. || Education of adults 32-12511

Seward, Albert Charles. Plants, what they are and what they do. Cambridge (England) Univ. press; N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 141p. illus. diag. $1.50.

Gardeners who want a knowledge of the scientific principles of plant life, and readers beginning the study of botany, will find this small treatise an informative, non-technical guide, more readable than most textbook botanies.

*580 Botany || Plants 32-26668

Shreve, Forrest. The cactus and its home. Baltimore, Williams & Wilkins, 1931. 195p. illus. $3.

Wider in scope than either Thornber's *The fantastic clan* (*Booklist* 28:378, My 32) or Schulz's *Cactus culture* (*Booklist* 28:424, Je 32) in its treatment of the geography, botany, and cultivation of cacti, this book will be of value to the amateur gardener and to the student of desert flora. The author is connected with the Desert laboratory of the Carnegie institution.

583.471 Cactus 32-419

Smith, Adelaide. Modern beauty and barber science, by Adelaide Smith and Reuben Rockwood; drawings by Arthur Middleton. N. Y. Prentice-Hall, 1931. 290p. illus. $3.

The essentials of beauty shop and barber technique are treated in textbook style, illus-

trated and supplied with chapter questions. Useful as a preparation for the required examination for license, or as a brief manual for operators. Includes chapters on shop management, salesmanship, and advertising.

646.7 Beauty, Personal || Hair-dressing || Barbers 31-35404

Stern, Philip Van Doren. An introduction to typography. N. Y. Harper, 1932. 214p. illus. map. $4.

A skilled typographer describes the tools of his trade and discusses the principles of his craft. Practical and profusely illustrated with many type faces, specimens of borders, various printed forms, and samples of advertising material. *Partial contents:* Type arrangement—Preparing copy for the printer—Proofs and proof reading—Magazine typography—Making type layouts. Glossary; bibliography: p. 185–192.

655.2 Type and type-founding || Typesetting || Printing, Practical || Printing—Specimens || Book ornamentation 32-14212

Williams, Jesse Feiring. The business man and his health. N. Y. Whittlesey house, McGraw-Hill, 1932. 175p. $2.

Sane, matter-of-fact advice on such topics as The health problem of modern life, Vacations, Hobbies and health, Exercise in modern life, Mental hygiene in business, The tired business man. The author is a physician and professor of physical education at Columbia.

613 Hygiene || Mental physiology and hygiene 32-11787

700 FINE ARTS

Bergman, Ray. Just fishing; illus. in color and line by Fred Everett; fly plates painted by Edgar Burke. Phil. Penn pub. co., 1932. 418p. illus. $5.

The fine points of fresh-water fishing are discussed clearly and with enthusiasm in this American book. Most of the space is given to trout and bass, but there are also chapters on pike and landlocked salmon. Illustrations show fish and flies in black and white and in color.

799.12 Fishing || Trout fishing || Bass fishing 32-12010

Buck, Frank. Wild cargo, by Frank Buck with Edward Anthony. N. Y. Simon & Schuster, 1932. 244p. illus. $3.

The author of *Bring 'em back alive* (*Booklist 27*:247, F 31) relates more of his encounters with wild animals while capturing elephants, leopards, tigers, and snakes in the East.

*799.2 Zoological specimens—Collection and preservation || Animals, Habits and behavior of 32-26639

Cain, Noble. Choral music and its practice, with particular reference to a cappella music. N. Y. Witmark, 1932. 145p. illus. diag. $2.

The author writes from twenty years' experience with choirs and choruses. The esthetics of choral music, its educational values for grade and high school groups, organizing the chorus, tone quality, and program making are some of the subjects discussed. Appendixes give special seating plans, a cappella choir literature, and a bibliography for the choral conductor.

784.96 Choral music || Singing and voice culture || Choral societies 32-10312

Fortman, Robert H. Blueprint reading for the machine trades, by R. H. Fortman and James McKinney. Drexel Ave. at 58th St., Chic., American technical society, 1932. 154p. illus. diag. $1.50.

"A practical handbook on reading working drawings, assembly drawings, scale drawings, manufacturing drawings, tool drawings, installation drawings."—*Subtitle.* A simply written, well illustrated introduction, with examination questions and answers. Suitable for home study.

744 Mechanical drawing || Blue-prints || Machinery—Drawing 32-12512

Hart, Hastings Hornell. Plans for city police jails and village lockups. N. Y. Russell Sage foundation, 1932. 27p. illus. diag. 31cm. $1.50.

These four plans for police jails and village lockups for a metropolitan, a medium-size, and a small city, and a village embody principles of adequate classification and segregation of police prisoners. The author, who died recently, was a pioneer and a veteran penologist.

725.62 Prisons—Construction 32-26689

Kaufman, George S. Of thee I sing, a musical play, by G. S. Kaufman and Morrie Ryskind; lyrics by Ira Gershwin. N. Y. Knopf, 1932. 214p. illus. $2.

A clever, hilarious comedy satirizing politicians and election methods in the United States, using a presidential campaign as the main event. Verses to be sung by the chorus are an integral part of the text.

782.6 [812.5] U. S. — Hist. — Humor, caricatures, etc. 32-10305

Sherman, Frederic Fairchild. Early American painting (Century library of American antiques) N. Y. Century, 1932. 289p. illus. $4.

A historical survey, treating in chronological order portrait painters and miniature painters, with biographical and critical information, descriptions of their works, and indication of the location of existing pictures. Landscape, historical, religious, and genre painters are the subjects of the last chapters. Many little known artists are included, and sixty plates are a valuable feature. Bibliography: p. 277–280.

759.1 Painting—U. S. || Painters, American || Portrait-painters, American 32-8434

800 LITERATURE

Babbitt, Irving. On being creative, and other essays. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 265p. $2.50.

In a long introduction the author reaffirms his philosophy of humanism which is further exemplified in the essays and lectures. *Contents:* On being creative—The primitivism of Wordsworth—The problem of the imagination: Dr. Johnson—The problem of the imagination: Coleridge—Schiller as æsthetic theorist—Julien Benda—The critic and American life—Romanticism and the Orient.

801 Humanism—20th cent. 32-12974

Blunden, Edmund Charles. The poems of Edmund Blunden. N. Y. Harper, n.d. 336p. $3.

The poet's own choice of his poetry, published between 1914 and 1930, with some unpublished poems, make up this collection. It is meditative verse, in which nature themes alternate with reflections on the war. Published in London by Cobden-Sanderson.

821.91 [31-9336]

Brown, Sterling Allen. Southern road, poems; drawings by E. S. Campbell. N. Y. Harcourt, 1932. 135p. illus. $2.

A versatile young negro poet uses dialect successfully in his portrayals of negro characters. Many of his poems are reminiscent of folklore and spirituals, others are short narratives of negro life.

811.5 32-13137

Church, *Mrs.* **Virginia Woodson (Frame)** *ed.* Curtain! A book of modern plays. N. Y. Harper, 1932. 504p. $1.40.

Modern plays suitable for reading or study, with suggestive aids, bibliographies, and four chapters on the evolution of the drama. *Contents:* The great adventure, by Bennett—The great Broxopp, by Milne—The Emperor Jones, by O'Neill—Wings over Europe, by Nichols and Brown—The man who died at twelve o'clock, by Green—Napoleon crossing the Rockies, by MacKaye—The angel on the ship, by Wilder—The lost silk hat, by Dunsany—Good theatre, by Morley—What men live by, by Church—Aria da capo, by Millay.

822.9108 English drama—Collections || American drama—Collections 32-11491

Dobrée, Bonamy. Variety of ways; discussions on six authors. N. Y. Oxford, 1932. 118p. $1.75.

Six writers of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, whose different attitudes toward life were reflected in their works, are the subjects of delightful literary essays. *Contents:* John Dryden—George Savile Marquess of Halifax—Bunyan: Mr. Badman—William Congreve: His life; His work—Richard Steele—Mandeville's: The fable of the bees.

*820 English literature 32-26642

Gilchrist, Marie. Writing poetry; suggestions for young writers. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 131p. $1.50.

A brief and excellent textbook by the author of *Wide pastures* (*Booklist* 23:123, D 26) Miss Gilchrist has for years directed at the Cleveland public library a group of high school boys and girls who had requested a "poetry club." She has drawn on her experiences with this group for this clear and elementary guide to the writing of poetry. Poems written by the club are included.

*808.1 Poetry 32-26688

Lovett, Robert Morss. The history of the novel in England, by R. M. Lovett and Helen S. Hughes. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 495p. illus. $3.25.

Many minor writers are given a place in this comprehensive survey of the English novel from the Elizabethans to the Georgians. The latter are admirably summed up in a final critical chapter. Bibliography: p. 465–479.

823.09 English fiction—Hist. & crit. 32-13575

Rice, Elmer L. Counsellor-at-law, a play in three acts. N. Y. French, 1931. 298p. illus. $2.

Good character portrayal and excellent dialog characterize this new play by the author of *Street scene*. The career of a successful lawyer who has risen from the slums is threatened because of a dishonest transaction during his early practice. Dramatic, and good reading.

812.5 32-472

Sherwood, Robert Emmet. Reunion in Vienna; a play in three acts. N. Y. Scribner, 1932. 205p. $2.

A delightful, sophisticated comedy played with great success by Lynn Fontanne and Alfred Lunt during the past season in New York. After ten years of exile the archduke of Austria returns to Vienna secretly for a reunion with his friends, but especially with his former mistress, now the wife of a famous doctor.

812.5 32-26517

Swartz, Roberta Teale. Lord Juggler & other poems. N. Y. Harper, 1932. 78p. $2.

This volume of lyric poetry, by a writer who started as one of the youngest poets several years ago, shows individuality and maturity of outlook.

811.5 32-11920

Whitman, Walt. I sit and look out; editorials from the Brooklyn Daily Times; selected and ed. by Emory Holloway and Vernolian Schwarz. N. Y. Columbia univ., 1932. 248p. port. $3.50.

These editorials, which appeared in the *Brooklyn Daily Times* in the late 1850's, throw light on Whitman the man and his journalistic apprenticeship to letters, and will interest Whitman readers and students of the pre-Civil war period.

*818 32-26701

900 HISTORY

Bauer, Ludwig. War again tomorrow; tr. by W. H. Carter. N. Y. Duffield; Lond. Faber, 1932. 314p. $2.

The author maintains that if the world continues in its present course a universal, devastating war is inevitable. After examining existing agencies for the prevention of war and finding them hopeless, he proposes his own remedy—a super-state based on sound economic planning.

940.5 War || World politics 32-13690

Dulles, Foster Rhea. America in the Pacific; a century of expansion. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 299p. $3.50.

The history of the development of American power in the Pacific during the last century provides a background for understanding the present situation and throws light on such problems as the Open Door and territorial integrity of China, and the independence of the Philippines.

*973 Pan-Pacific relations || Eastern question (Far East) || U. S.—Hist. 32-26684

Franklin, Jay, *pseud.* What we are about to receive. N. Y. Covici, Friede, 1932. 243p. $2.50.

Looking at American politics and politicians, this author sees little cheer in the future, whether Democrats or Republicans are in power. He sums up the presidential prospects with unsparing frankness, but not unfairly, and discusses with great skepticism such issues as prohibition, veterans' bonus, farm relief, and unemployment.

973.916 U. S.—Pol. & govt. || Campaign literature || U. S.—Econ. condit. 32-11031

Hallendorff, Carl Jakob Herman. History of Sweden, by Carl Hallendorff and Adolf Schück. Stockholm, C. E. Fritze; 561 Third Ave., N. Y., Albert Bonnier, 1929. 466p. illus. $6.

A condensed history which begins with prehistoric Sweden and ends with a brief summary of economic and cultural conditions in present-day Sweden. The text is supplemented by a chapter on Swedish literature and a descriptive list of important financial and industrial concerns. Stomberg's *A history of Sweden* (*Booklist* 28:193, Ja 32) was not the first history of Sweden in English (see its note) The Hallendorff book, first published in 1929, was already available in English, so a librarian informs us. Translated from the Swedish by Mrs. Lajla Yapp.

*948.5 Sweden—Hist. 30-2506

Lloyd George, David. The truth about reparations and war-debts. Garden City, N. Y., Doubleday, Doran, 1932. 150p. $1.50.

One of the leading figures at the peace conference summarizes the more important facts about reparations "including some highly interesting documents and details not previously published." Only an "immediate cancellation conditioned on substantial measures of disarmament and a general lowering of tariffs" can now save our present economic order. The book is enlivened by vigorous language and "sparkling and not always flattering" character sketches of the leaders who negotiated the peace and debt settlements.—*Nellie M. Fisher.*

940.31422 European war, 1914-1918—Reparations || Debts, Public—Europe || Debts, Public—U. S. || Economic conditions—1918- 32-10855

Machray, Robert. Poland, 1914-1931. N. Y. Dutton, 1932. 447p. $3.75.

"This book does not claim to penetrate below the surface of Polish life or to examine social or political problems in a critical spirit. It has, however, real merit as a fair and extremely useful record of events covering the whole period of the re-emergence of Poland in European politics."—*The Times Literary Supplement.*

*943.8 Poland—Hist. 32-26655

Norton, Henry Kittredge. The coming of South America, El resurgimiento de Sud América. N. Y. John Day, 1932. 300p. $3.50.

First-hand information about conditions in South American countries during the economic crisis and the revolutions which have in part resulted from financial difficulties during the last two years is presented with balance and good judgment, in readable, journalistic style.

980 South America—Politics || South America—Econ. condit. || South America—Relations (general) with U. S. || U. S.—Relations (general) with South America 32-13031

Nowak, Karl Friedrich. Germany's road to ruin; the middle years of the reign of Emperor William II; tr. by E. W. Dickes. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 382p. illus. $5.

Unusual historical material, throwing new light on Germany's internal politics, is contained in this history of the period from the chancellorship of Caprivi to that of Bülow. The cooperation of the ex-kaiser is apparent, as it was in the previous volume (*Booklist 27*:306, Mr 31) and the photographs are from his collection. Bibliography: p. 337-353.

943.084 Germany—Hist. 32-9255

Pahlow, Edwin William. Man's great adventure; an introduction to world history. Bost. Ginn, 1932. 854p. illus. maps. $2.12.

This summary of world history in textbook form is simply written in a lively and interesting manner. Although intended primarily for young people, many adults will find the book readable. Useful time charts are included.

909 History, Universal || Civilization—Hist. 32-12191

910 DESCRIPTION AND TRAVEL

Brady, Alexander. Canada. N. Y. Scribner, 1932. 374p. maps. $5.

This survey of Canada's political life and the existing economic and cultural conditions is both concise and competent. The author, who is professor of political science in the University of Toronto, is able to compare Canadian life and institutions with those of England and the United States, and his work is informative and timely.

917.1 Canada 32-13872

Caemmerer, Hans Paul. Washington, the national capital; prepared by H. P. Caemmerer. Washington, D. C., U. S. Govt. print. off., 1932. 736p. illus. maps. 30x25cm. $3.

This history spans past, present, and future—from the earliest settlements along the Potomac to the great public buildings program which will transform the city during the next decade. The author is secretary of the National commission of fine arts. Especially useful in libraries, schools, and colleges. Many old maps and prints beside modern photographs and projected plans and drawings. Such a low price for so handsome a book is possible only because it is a government publication.

917.53 Washington, D. C.—Descr. || Washington, D. C.—Hist. 32-26479

Čapek, Karel. Letters from Spain; tr. by Paul Selver. Lond. Bles; N. Y. Putnam, 1932. 192p. illus. $2.

The fantastic little drawings with which the author illustrates his letters are as light-hearted and amusing as his cleverly written impressions of Spanish travel. He saw the usual sights—gardens, bull fights, paintings, and museums—but he observed them with more humorous enthusiasm than most travelers possess.

914.6 Spain—Descr. & trav. [32-7787]

Follett, Helen. Magic portholes; pictures by Armstrong Sperry. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 321p. illus. $2.50.

For note see children's list.

910 Voyages and travels 32-26647

Hedin, Sven Anders. Across the Gobi desert; with 114 illus. and three maps. Lond. Routledge, N. Y. Dutton; 1932. 402p. illus. maps. $5.

The fascinatirg story of a great expedition which was backed by the Swedish and Chinese governments. Sixty men, with three hundred camels, traversed the Gobi desert in the interior of Asia for the purpose of studying the geography and meteorology of the region. This book, by the leader of the expedition, is a translation from the German and covers only the first stages of the undertaking.

915.17 Gobi || Mongolia—Descr. & trav. [32-7528]

Kühlmann, Richard von. Thoughts on Germany; tr. by Eric Sutton. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 315p. $3.50.

These thoughts on Germany by her former foreign minister are concerned primarily with economics and politics and particularly with Germany's foreign relations. They are, in part at least, addressed to his own countrymen and present an argument for moderation at home and abroad as Germany's best hope for security in the future.

*914.3 Germany—Pol. & govt. || Germany—Econ. condit. 32-26692

Laughlin, Clara Elizabeth. So you're going to Ireland and Scotland! And if I were going with you these are the things I'd invite you to do. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 397p. illus. $3.50.

Specific directions for pleasant and profitable travel in Ireland and Scotland, combining history and personal anecdotes with guidebook information about routes, hotels, and sightseeing. Appendixes list opportunities for sports—fishing, hunting, and golf.

914.1 Ireland — Descr. & trav. — Guidebooks || Scotland—Descr. & trav.—Guidebooks 32-13689

Palmer, William Thomas. The English lakes; their topographical, historical and literary landmarks. N. Y. Farrar & Rinehart, 1932. 281p. illus. $3.

The natural beauty and the literary associations of the English lake district are described, with several chapters of information for the traveler who plans to walk or climb in that region.

914.2 Lake district, Eng. || Mountaineering 32-26742

Phillips, Henry Albert. Meet the Japanese; with 41 illus. Phil. Lippincott, 1932. 319p. illus. $3.

A book of general information about Japan and the Japanese, including the effects of westernization upon both life and industries. Its aim—to promote a better understanding of a nation—and its style are similar to the author's *Meet the Spaniards* (*Booklist* 28:23, S 31)

915.2 Japan—Descr. & trav. || Japan—Soc. life & cust. 32-10850

Ringel, Frederick Julius, *ed.* America as Americans see it. N. Y. Harcourt, 1932. 365p. illus. $3.75.

Forty-six authors have contributed short essays on various phases of contemporary life—exclusive of politics and religion—to this symposium planned as an interpretation of America for Europeans. The illustrations range from photographs and reproductions of paintings to cartoons and news reels. The essays vary considerably in worth. No index. *Partial contents:* The heart of American industry, by Stuart Chase—American brotherhood, by J. C. Hilder—Cowboy and dude ranches, by Will Irwin—What does America read? by Clifton Fadiman—The wings of an ostrich, by Muriel Draper—The creative negro, by J. W. Johnson.

917.3 U. S.—Soc. condit. || U. S.—Civilization 32-26696

Robinson, William Albert. 10,000 leagues over the sea; with 35 illus. N. Y. Brewer, Warren & Putnam, 1932. 379p. illus. maps. $3.50.

Unlike the author of *Around the world single-handed* (*Booklist* 28:430, Je 32) this sailor saw more than the sea. In the course of his forty-two month trip around the world he stopped long enough to know and enjoy many places, especially in the South Seas, and he is an intelligent and cheerful commentator. The trip was made in a thirty-two foot boat with a Polynesian pearl diver as the crew and a knowledge of navigation that the author had acquired in evening study at the New York public library.

910.4 Voyages around the world || Svaap (Yacht) 32-13878

Scheffler, Karl. Holland; 65 illus. in halftone; tr. from the German by Caroline Fredrick. N. Y. Knopf, 1932. 303p. illus. $4.

Picturesque aspects of Dutch life are not emphasized in this book. It is a brief, dispassionate account of the topography of the country, the national characteristics, and the chief features of the important cities, with several chapters on Dutch painting. Excellent photographic illustrations.

914.92 Netherlands—Descr. & trav. || Painting—Netherlands 32-8170

Sokolsky, G. E. The tinder box of Asia. Garden City, N. Y., Doubleday, Doran, 1932. $2.

"China's resistance to world pressure, the conflict of powers and interests, of peoples and ideas, among hundreds of millions of human beings, is the burden of this book." —*page 1. Partial contents:* Emergence to a new era—The foreign stake in China—Japan's place in the sun—Russia in China—Communism in China.

*915.1 China—Econ. condit. || China—Pol. & govt. 32-26669

920 or B BIOGRAPHY

Bennett, Arnold. The journal of Arnold Bennett, 1896–1910. N. Y. Viking, 1932. 417p. port. $4.

"Beginning in 1896, and continuing until shortly before his death, Arnold Bennett kept Journals in which he set down sometimes from day to day, sometimes at longer intervals, his comments on people seen, books read, places visited, his thoughts and observations on the varied life of which he was a part."—*Foreword.* An intimate record of years spent in France and England during a period in which Bennett was accomplishing a prodigious amount of writing and winning recognition as a novelist. The *Journal* will be complete in three volumes.

B 32-14139

Cattell, James McKeen, *ed.* Leaders in education, a biographical directory. N. Y. Science press, 1932. 1037p. 26cm. $6.

The sketches (of 11,000 educators) are strictly objective and give only information relating to the educational career. The work is a by-product of *School and Society* whose editor, since 1915, has been collecting biographical data.

923.773 Educators—U. S. || Teachers—U. S.—Biog. || Education—U. S.—Direct. || U. S.—Biog.—Dictionaries 32-10194

Corey, Herbert. The truth about Hoover. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 318p. illus. $2.50.

Charges made against Hoover by recent writers are refuted, with citations of documents to prove misrepresentation of facts. The book tends to be eulogy as well as defense of the president.

B Hoover, Herbert Clark 32-14427

Hathaway, Esse Virginia. The book of American presidents; illus. by S. B. Schaeffer. N. Y. Whittlesey house, McGraw-Hill, 1931. 367p. illus. $2.50.

Something of the problems that confronted each president is presented, his background is sketched, his qualifications analyzed, and his accomplishments briefly described. Full-page drawings of the presidents are included. Will be useful with adults although designed for adolescent readers. Good type. Index.

923.173 Presidents—U. S.—Biog. 31-31322

Iltis, Hugo. Life of Mendel; tr. by Eden and Cedar Paul; with 10 illus. in the text and 12 plates. N. Y. Norton, 1932. 336p. illus. diag. $5.

An adequate biography, as well as a scientist's interpretation of Mendel's researches in biology and their significance. The work was originally published in Germany in 1924 as *Gregor Johann Mendel, Leben, Werk und Wirkung.*

B Mendel, Gregor Johann 32-26563

Levin, Meyer. The golden mountain; illus. by Marek Szwarc. N. Y. Cape & Ballou, 1932. 357p. illus. $3.

"Marvellous tales of Rabbi Israel, Baal Shem, and of his great-grandson, Rabbi

Nachman, retold from Hebrew, Yiddish and German sources."—*Subtitle.* A half-legendary rabbi, known as the Baal Shem Tov, leader of the Chassidim, who lived in the Carpathian mountains two centuries ago, is the figure about whom these folktales have centered. Most of them have no known authorship but those of the second half of the book are attributed to the rabbi's great-grandson. The editor believes this to be the first English version of the Chassidic legend.

B Israel ben Eliezer, Ba'al-Shem Tob, called Besht || Hasidism 32-8945

Maclean, Catherine Macdonald. Dorothy Wordsworth; the early years. N. Y. Viking, 1932. 439p. illus. $5.

An excellent and moving biography in which a creative imagination reconstructs successfully the character and life of the gifted woman who inspired Wordsworth, Coleridge, and De Quincey. The history ends in 1813, at the beginning of the illness and mental disorder that darkened her later years. Bibliography: p. 393–429.

B Wordsworth, Dorothy 32-26656

Mr. Justice Brandeis; essays by C. E. Hughes and others; ed. by Felix Frankfurter; with an introd. by O. W. Holmes. New Haven, Yale univ.; Lond. Oxford, 1932. 232p. port. $3.

The seventy-fifth birthday of Justice Brandeis was the occasion for the six essays which make up this book. They "attempt estimates of the labors of Mr. Justice Brandeis as they appear to diverse students of the Supreme Court—to the Chief Justice, to practitioners, to specialists in constitutional law, to critics of social institutions."—*Preface.*

B Brandeis, Louis Dembitz 32-14002

Rothenstein, William. Men and memories; recollections of William Rothenstein, 1900–1922. v. 2. N. Y. Coward-McCann, 1932. 395p. illus. $5.

This Engish artist's reminiscences of the artistic, literary, and social world of his day are felicitous in style and amiable in tone, maintaining throughout the high level of the first volume (*Booklist* 27:405, My 31) The unusually pleasing illustrations are collotype reproductions of his works and of those of his artist friends.

B Artists — Correspondence, reminiscences, etc. (31-26744)

Shay, Frank. Incredible Pizarro, conqueror of Peru. N. Y. Mohawk press, 1932. 342p. illus. $3.50.

The conqueror of Peru, who began the destruction of the Inca civilization and looted the country to enrich Spain, is depicted as an able leader, whose motives were no baser than those of other conquistadors.

B Pizarro, Francisco 32-14421

Tarbell, Ida M. Owen D. Young; a new type of industrial leader. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 353p. illus. $3.

The qualities of leadership displayed by the subject during his rise as an industrialist and his activities in execution of the Dawes plan and in the formation of the Young plan are stressed in this flattering biography. Some chapters have appeared in the *American Magazine.*

B Young, Owen D 32-26673

Wilson, Mona. Sir Philip Sidney. Lond. Duckworth; N. Y. Oxford, 1932. 328p. illus. maps. $3.75.

Although Sidney was courtier and soldier, as well as man of letters, it is as poet especially that this biographer considers him and she combines, with a succinct life history, an appraisal of his place in English literature and an analysis of some of his poetry.

B Sidney, Sir Philip [31-18848]

FICTION

Boden, Frederic C. Miner. N. Y. Dutton, 1932. 203p. $2.50.

The hopelessness and the inescapable horror of life in an English coal mining town are told with simplicity and restraint in this short novel. Danny goes to work in the pit at fourteen, and for several years there is no break in the drab weariness of his existence, except the youthful idyl of his love for a little servant girl. The author, who has published two books of poetry, began life in the coal mines.

32-11791

Dix, Beulah Marie. Pity of God. N. Y. Viking, 1932. 367p. $2.50.

The entire action of this highly dramatic novel takes place during one day and night, at the suburban Hollywood home of the Vickery family. Each character is facing disaster—Joe's business is tottering and his secretary, in whose love he has found solace when his unhappy home and smug, stupid wife become unbearable, is fatally ill, sorrow and loneliness are driving his sister to suicide, a brother is trying to escape responsibility for the cook's illegitimate child, and the son and daughter are helpless victims of their mother's selfishness. All are powerless to save themselves from the consequences of their own deeds and the author's solution is a catastrophe that she calls the pity of God. It is a caustic, bitter story, not for the immature reader.

32-11375

Gibbs, Arthur Hamilton. Undertow. Bost. Little, 1932. 296p. $2.50.

A serious story of an Englishman of thirty-five, master in a boy's school, a peculiarly solitary creature who had "whitewashed and papered his solitude, decorated it with his own thoughts, peopled it with congenial companions from the literature of the world as he had been able to find it on the back shelves of the bookshop." His engagement to Millicent, the herd-minded English girl, his summer in France when he undergoes a significant, almost atavistic, change, and Jeanne, to whom the undertow sweeps him insensibly, are the main elements in this story, written with a fine quiet understanding.

32-26648

Kaye-Smith, Sheila. Summer holiday. N. Y. Harper, 1932. 293p. $2.50.

The time spent each summer at Platnix meant days of untold joy to imaginative Selina and her more literal little sister Moira, and their delight in the familiarity of the country scene and the association with the farm people, whose ways of life seemed prompted by understandable motives, is pictured with a sure touch. Through it all there runs the delineation of the children's make-believe by which they escape the confines of adult authority only to seek again its shelter when their imaginings cause terror and feelings of insecurity.

32-12204

Mannin, Ethel Edith. Linda Shawn. N. Y. Knopf; Lond. Jarrolds, 1932. 285p. $2.50.

Adolescent Linda with her awakening emotions, her loneliness, and her unrequited affection, is the central figure, but this story is a complete chronicle of the Shawn family during several crucial years of the family history. They are English farmers who never prospered and the family life is dominated by the nagging wife, filled with the bitterness of her frustrated ambitions.

[32-7910]

Morgan, Charles. The fountain. N. Y. Knopf, 1932. 451p. $2.50.

A novel of high quality and genuine substance, for the thoughtful reader. In bare outline, it is the story of an English officer interned in Holland, welcoming his imprisonment because it means opportunity for writing a history of the contemplative life. Then his austere meditative existence is interrupted by his love for a girl who is in exile among Dutch relatives while her husband is in the German army. They are highly civilized, thinking people, and they face honorably the return of the German husband.

32-14111

Nason, Leonard Hastings. Among the trumpets; stories of war horses and others. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 309p. $2.

Eight amusing stories of the cavalry in France, told in army vernacular. *Contents:* Among the trumpets—The fresh Yank—Ditch-digging horse—An issue of blankets—The general's horse—The stag at eve—A night in the hay—Old soldier.

European war, 1914-1918—Fiction

32-9035

O'Faoláin, Seán. Midsummer night madness and other stories. N. Y. Viking, 1932. 237p. $2.50.

Incidents of the Irish rebellion—the coming of the Black and Tans, the hunting of Sinn Feiners, terrorism in city and country—are the material of these short stories. An occasional brutality of speech or incident will offend some readers, but in general the stories are imaginative and poetic, though sometimes fantastic to people unfamiliar with the setting.

32-7616

Pryce, Richard. Morgan's yard. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 312p. $2.50.

The characters of this old world novel, with its setting in an English court that was once a stableyard, are appealing but never quite real. Mrs. Chesson, the mysterious widow who lives in seclusion, brooding over her discovery of a liaison in the life of her dead son, is an inspiration to a young painter and a dramatist, who in the end persuade her to accept the grandchild whose parents, in the stress of war time, were unable to marry.

32-11114

Royde-Smith, Naomi Gwladys. The mother. Garden City, N. Y., Doubleday, Doran, 1932. 214p. $2.

In the two hours of a summer evening while Mrs. Majendie watched her little sons playing in the garden, there passed through her mind a review of her whole life and of the personal relations of the members of her family, and she saw and accepted the inevitable isolation of spirit that would be hers as her children grew up. The book is an artistic, discerning study of a woman's inner life, but its lack of outward event will limit its appeal.

32-9554

Sabatini, Rafael. The Black Swan. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 311p. $2.

Romance and high adventure in the Caribbean, where the ship on which Priscilla Harradine traveled was captured by the pirate Tom Leach.

32-13055

Salten, Felix. The city jungle. N. Y. Simon & Schuster, 1932. 262p. illus. $2.

A zoo is the city jungle in which the wild animals of these stories suffer the tragedy of imprisonment and share each other's misery through the medium of Vasta the mouse, who carries news from cage to cage. The author's humane attitude tends toward sentimentality about captive animals to whom he attributes peculiarly human qualities.

32-14434

Smith, Edward Percy. Eastward drift, a novel, by Edward Percy, *pseud.* N. Y. H. C. Kinsey, 1932. 419p. $2.50.

At seventy-five Samuel Daysing, a self-made man, retired abruptly to a country cottage and left the business and the fortune to his sons. The result was disaster for everyone except the simple-minded Clem. He found happiness in his marriage with a prostitute and his home became a refuge for old Samuel.

32-11461

Stern, Gladys Bronwyn. The rueful mating. N. Y. Knopf, 1932. 566p. $2.50.

Miss Stern has put all of her artistry into this story of the loyal devotion of an English boy and girl from the moment they first met at twelve and thirteen till they were married at seventeen and eighteen, having finally worn down the obstinate opposition of both families. The result is a refreshing portrayal, neither sentimental nor unpleasant, of two precocious and adventurous young people and of their numerous relatives.

32-26670

Tolstoĭ, Aleksĭeĭ Konstantinovich. *graf.* Peter the Great; tr. from the Russian by H. C. Matheson. N. Y. Covici, Friede, 1932. 387p. $3.

The early life of Peter the Great is the subject of a novel that takes in all classes of Russians of that day, and is filled with the violence and almost incredible cruelty of the age.

32-26743

MYSTERY AND DETECTIVE STORIES

Bailey, Henry Christopher. Case for Mr. Fortune. Garden City, N. Y., Doubleday, Doran, 1932. 308p. $2.

32-26636

Collins, Gilbert. Murder at Brambles. N. Y. Holt, n.d. 274p. $2.
32-26641

Dyer, George. The five fragments. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 315p. illus. maps. $2.
32-12520

Emery, Samuel. At nine bells. N. Y. Dutton, 1932. 305p. $2.
32-12119

Heyward, *Mrs.* **Dorothy Hartzell (Kuhns)** The Pulitzer prize murders. N. Y. Farrar & Rinehart, 1932. 361p. $2.
32-10753

Rolls, Anthony. Clerical error. Bost. Little, 1932. 276p. $2.
32-14951

Sayers, Dorothy Leigh. Have his carcase. N. Y. Brewer, Warren, & Putnam, 1932. 448p. $2.
32-13340

LIGHT ROMANCES

Cuthrell, *Mrs.* **Faith (Baldwin)** District nurse. N. Y. Farrar & Rinehart, 1932. 310p. $2.
32-13348

Hill, Grace Livingston. Happiness hill. Phil. Lippincott, 1932. 320p. $2.
32-26745

Rosman, Alice Grant. Benefits received. N. Y. Minton, 1932. 276p. $2.
32-26744

Widdemer, Margaret. Pre-war lady. N. Y. Farrar & Rinehart, 1932. 280p. $2.
32-14327

The Textile Industry and Museums

Pointing out in an interesting preface that "the sources of textile design are as broad and endless as life or civilization" the Textile Foundation, Commerce building, Washington, D. C., has just issued a twenty-nine page, paper covered booklet, available for free distribution—*Textile design, a bibliography and directory.* Over three hundred works of major interest to advanced students of design are given in the bibliography, which is said to be the first of its kind. The directory is "of the leading museums containing objects of art applicable to textile design." Author, title, publisher, and date, but no prices, are given. Reference and Art departments will be especially interested.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Brister, Hope. The proud emperor; tales told in the Middle ages; pictures by Harold Minton (Little library) N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 179p. illus. $1.

The nine tales included in this book are retold from the famous story book of the Middle ages, the *Gesta Romanorum*. They are suitable for children from the third to fifth grades.

32-12202

Bryan, Dorothy. Michael who missed his train, by Dorothy and Marguerite Bryan. Garden City, N. Y., Doubleday, Doran, 1932. 29p. illus. $1.

The antics of two engaging Sealyham terriers are depicted in a series of humorous, graphic pictures, some of which are in black and white, others enlivened with color. Sufficient text is included to round out the amusing story.

32-14442

Dalgliesh, Alice. The choosing book; illus. by Eloise B. Wilkin. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 56p. illus. $1.25.

Here are gay pictures of the objects from which Ruth and Teddy, their father, and their mother chose their house, clothes, pets, and playthings. For very little children.

32-10222

Daniel, Hawthorne. Shuttle and sword; the adventures of a weaver's son in old Flanders; illus. by T. W. Voter. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 168p. illus. $1.75.

At the opening of this story Willem van der Weyden, a successful weaver of Bruges, decides to send his sixteen-year-old son to England to study the wool markets. But while journeying to Ghent, accompanied by an old retainer, Diereck becomes involved in an adventure that changes all plans and leads to his participation in Flanders' early struggle for neutrality. A story that boys over twelve will enjoy.

Flanders — Hist. — Fiction || Artevelde, Jacob van—Fiction 32-12518

Eipper, Paul. In my zoo; photographs by Hedda Walther. N. Y. Viking, 1932. 204p. illus. $2.50.

The material for this book about animals in European zoos has been taken from *Animals looking at you* (*Booklist* 26:106, D 29) and *Animal children* (*Booklist* 27:327, Mr 31) The text has been rearranged and edited for young readers and the book includes many of the excellent photographs of lions, monkeys, seals, elephants, and giraffes.

590 Animals, Habits and behavior of 32-26686

Follett, Helen. Magic portholes; pictures by Armstrong Sperry. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 321p. illus. $2.50.

This is an account of no ordinary journey, arranged by time-table and tour agent, for it took the author and her daughter to the West Indies to wander at will from one island to another and finally through the canal over to Tahiti and the South Seas, traveling by cargo boat, tramp steamer, or liner as the occasion demanded. The book is written in a manner that reflects the gay, adventurous spirit of the journey itself, and is illustrated with striking illustrations and stunning end pages. Barbara Follett, the daughter, will be recalled as the very young author of *The house without windows* (*Booklist* 23:347, My 27) and *The voyage of the Norman D.* (*Booklist* 24:407, Jl 28)

910 Voyages and travels 32-26647

Hader, Berta. Berta and Elmer Hader's picture book of the states. N. Y. Harper, 1932. 57p. illus. 32 cm. $3.

Into outlines that approximate the boundary lines of the forty-eight states of the union are crowded pictorial representations of historical events, natural resources, products, places of importance, and customs peculiar to each state. Numbers refer to information presented briefly on the opposite page, where there is also given a small map accurate as to scale. The sewing is insecure and the narrow margins will not permit of rebinding.

917.3 Geography 32-13312

Hathaway, Esse Virginia. The book of American presidents; illus. by

S. B. Schaeffer. N. Y. Whittlesey house, McGraw-Hill, 1931. 367p. illus. $2.50.

For note see adult list.

923.173 Presidents—U. S.—Biog. 31-31322

Hubbard, Alice, *ed.* The golden flute; an anthology of poetry for young children, by Alice Hubbard and Adeline Babbitt. N. Y. John Day, 1932. 320p. $3.

It was the purpose of the compilers to select poems which relate to the daily activities and observations of children. The poems were chosen from widely varying sources and as the emphasis is on children's interests the inclusion, judged as poetry, is uneven. In addition to author and first line indexes there is also an "Index to interest" which will prove especially useful to teachers.

821.08 Poetry—Collections 32-10417

Keelor, Katharine Louise. Little Fox, the story of an Indian boy; pictures by Frederick Richardson. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 121p. illus. $1.75.

This story for young children tells of Indian life on the site of New York City and in the surrounding country before the coming of the white man. The material was first used by the author in teaching at Lincoln school and, while the book will be useful with young children working on a like project, it seems rather too weighted with information to prove successful as a story.

Indians of North America—Fiction 32-10338

Kelty, Mary G. The American colonies. Bost. Ginn, 1932. 334p. illus. $1.

973.2 U. S.—Hist.—Colonial period 32-3463

——The old-world beginnings of America. Bost. Ginn, 1932. 379p. illus. $1.

973.1 [940.1] Civilization, Medieval || Middle ages—Hist. || America—Disc. & explor. || Civilization, American 32-3720

These books are designed for fourth and fifth grades, with tests, study helps, and games at the end of each chapter. The material in them is organized in units and both books are well illustrated and indexed. Two units from each of these books appeared as the first four units of the author's earlier book *The story of the American people* (Ginn, 1931. 663p. $1.40. 31-22150)

Marshak, Il'ia I͡Akovlevich. Black on white; the story of books, by M. Ilin, *pseud.;* tr. by Beatrice Kincead; illus. by N. Lapshin. Phil. Lippincott, 1932. 135p. illus. $1.50.

In a clear and vivid manner the author tells of the forms of writing that have been used from early days to the present, of how alphabets and symbols for numbers evolved, of the materials written upon, and of the making of early books. Throughout, the connection between the need and the various methods used is made evident. For readers from the fifth grade on.

655 Books 32-26746

——What time is it? The story of clocks; tr. by Beatrice Kincead; illus. by N. Lapshin. Phil. Lippincott, 1932. 132p. illus. $1.50.

The schemes and devices which man has employed through the ages to record the passing of time and to measure the hours are described. The style is simple and direct and the content so interesting that the book will appeal to a wide range of readers. Many black-and-white drawings add interest to the text.

529 Clocks and watches || Time measurements 32-26650

Medsger, Oliver Perry. Nature rambles, summer; an introduction to country-lore; with sixteen plates in color, fifteen half-tone plates and forty text illus. N. Y. Warne, 1932. 160p. illus. $2.

This book, which has to do with out-of-door things seen and enjoyed during the summer months, follows the author's *Nature rambles, spring* (*Booklist* 28:31, S 31) The subjects discussed range from shrimps and crabs to raccoons and white herons, from water lilies to mountain laurel, and from spiders to woodpeckers. The same easy style that marked the earlier book is employed.

570.7 Natural history—Outdoor books || Nature study || Summer (31-9955)

Nonidez, José Fernandez. Fuzzy and his neighbors; a true story, told and illus. by J. F. Nonidez. N. Y. Century, 1932. 139p. illus. $1.50.

The author relates the story of a little chipmunk in a series of short chapters, each

complete in itself but each forwarding the account of the friendly understanding that developed during the summers spent at Woods Hole on Cape Cod. For children of six to ten.

Chipmunks 32-7811

Peck, Anne Merriman. Wings over Holland, by A. M. Peck and Enid Johnson; pictures by the author. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 145p. illus. $2.

This story, in which Hendrik, a boy of nine or ten, is the central character, is obviously constructed to acquaint young readers with something of the history of Holland and with the manners and customs of present-day life in a Dutch town. Frequent line drawings are introduced into the text in addition to several full-page illustrations.

32-6100

Rojankovsky, Fedor. Daniel Boone; historic adventures of an American hunter among the Indians; lithographs in colour by Fedor Rojankovsky; ed. by Esther Averill and Lila Stanley. 270 Boylston St., Boston, Bookshop for boys and girls; Paris, Domino press, 1931. 14p. illus. 37cm. $3.50.

The name of Daniel Boone has come to stand for all that was characteristic of adventurous early American life. He is known as a pathfinder, hunter, scout, soldier, backwoodsman, and pioneer, and all those glowing words appear on the first page of this book. The later pages picture that romantic life with its Indians, animals and birds, forests, and rivers, which met the early settlers as the panorama of America stretched ever to the west. The pictures—lithographs in marvelous colors—embody the very spirit of those early days. Sufficient and simple text accompanies the pictures. The book is an example of beautiful printing. It is large, the covers are thin paper boards, and the binding is insecure, but it is well worth the money for any library that can afford books for special use and occasions.

B Boone, Daniel 32-11356

Whitcomb, Adah F., *comp.* Old Mother Goose in a new dress; illus. by Douglas Hall. Chic. Laidlaw, 1932. 41p. illus. 29cm. $1.

This book is made up of twenty familiar Mother Goose rhymes whose illustrations in two colors suggest the angular-jointed wooden toys familiar to modern children. The pages are uncluttered, the hand-lettered text is clear, and the binding is substantial.

32-26677

CHILDREN'S EDITIONS

Carroll, Lewis, *pseud.* Alice's adventures under ground; being a facsimile of the original ms. book afterwards developed into "Alice's adventures in Wonderland." With thirty-seven illus. by the author. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 91p. illus. $1.

This reprint will prove an interesting item for exhibit purposes.

20-13900

Ferguson, Harrison Wader. A child's book of the teeth; illus. by the author. Rev. and enl. ed. Yonkers-on-Hudson, N. Y., World book co., 1932. 106p. illus. 68c.

This edition of the book noted in *Booklist* 15:33, O 18, has taken into account new scientific developments in dental hygiene. Forty-three pages have been added and the price increased.

613.49 Teeth—Care and hygiene 32-9754

French, Harry W. The lance of Kanana, a story of Arabia, by H. W. French ("Abd El Ardavan") drawings by Wilfred Jones. Bost. Lothrop, 1932. 165p. illus. $2.50.

This book, long a favorite, is now issued in a format worthy of the story's distinction. The end pages and illustrations throughout the book are vigorous and in the spirit of the text.

32-14435

NEW EDITIONS AND SERIES

Black and gold library. N. Y. Liveright, each, $2.

These attractive volumes, printed in clear, large type and substantially bound in black cloth, are now available at a lower price.

CARROLL, LEWIS, *pseud.* Alice's adventures in Wonderland; illus. by John Tenniel.
32-12599

O'NEILL, E. G. Strange interlude.
812.5 [28-7769]

Blue ribbon books. 448 Fourth Ave., N. Y., each, $1.

GROZIER, E. A., *ed.* One hundred world's best novels condensed; ed. by E. A. Grozier; assisted by C. E. L. Wingate and C. H. Lincoln. 4v. combined in 1.

Books of distinction. N. Y. Grosset, each, $1.

NILES, *Mrs.* BLAIR. Black Haiti.

Burt's copyright fiction. N. Y. Burt, each, 75c.

BINDLOSS, HAROLD. The man at Willow ranch.
BURNETT, W. R. Saint Johnson.
CHISHOLM, A. M. Red Bill.
EVARTS, H. G. The shaggy legion.
GARSTIN, CROSBIE. China seas.
HUGHES, RUPERT. Ladies' man.
KELLAND, C. B. Hard money.
LE MAY, ALAN. Gunsight trail.
—— One of us is a murderer.
MILN, *Mrs.* L. (J.) Rice.
OPPENHEIM, E. P. The million pound deposit.
WEBSTER, H. K. The man with the scarred hand.
WODEHOUSE, P. G. Big money.

A **Century** of progress series. Baltimore, Williams & Wilkins, each, $1.

ALLEE, W. C. Animal life and social growth.
*591.15 Zoology—Ecology 32-26747

NEWMAN, H. H. Evolution yesterday and today.
575 Evolution 32-12744

International textbook company. Bluebooks. Scranton, Pa., International textbook co.

As was pointed out in the previous entry (*Booklist* 28:397, My 32) the small volumes of this series contain elementary material suitable for home study, well illustrated and well presented. Some librarians believe that the price is high for the amount of material, especially for subjects that are covered in other textbooks, and that the occasional inclusion of old material and the lack of indexes are unfortunate.

FIRST STEPS IN DRESSMAKING. $1.50.
*646.2 Dressmaking 32-26748

HARMONY IN DRESS. $1.50.
*646 Clothing and dress 32-26749

HAYES, C. J. Engraving and printing methods. $3.
760 Engraving || Printing 31-27269

INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS, *Scranton, Pa.* Architectural interiors, by I. C. S. staff. $3.25.
747 Architecture 31-24598

LANE, MARY R. Vocations in industry. 3v. v. 1, Professions, trades, and allied occupations in agriculture, forestry, and animal husbandry. $1.50; v. 2, Professions, trades, and allied occupations in mining and mineral industries. $2; v. 3, Professions, trades and allied occupations in manufacturing and mechanical industries. $3.50.
371.425 Occupations 32-26171

MACGAHAN, PAUL. Electrical measuring instruments, by Paul MacGahan and D. A. Young. Electrical measuring instruments, parts 1-2, by Paul MacGahan; Practical electrical measurements, by D. A. Young. $1.50.
621.373 Electric measurements 31-27271

ROYCE, D. C. Automobile carbureters, by D. C. Royce and C. R. Strouse. Parts 1-2. $2.
629.2 Carbureters 31-28613

WEAD, F. W. Airplane parts and maintenance. $1.50.
629.13 Aeroplanes 31-28716

Modern library. 20 E. 57th St., N. Y., Modern library, inc., each, 95c.

FRANKLIN, BENJAMIN. The autobiography of Benjamin Franklin and selections from his other writings; ed. and with an introd. by N. G. Goodman.
B 32-11831

HEMINGWAY, ERNEST. A farewell to arms.
32-14023

LONGFELLOW, H. W. The poems of Longfellow; including Evangeline, The song of Hiawatha, The courtship of Miles Standish, Tales of a wayside inn.
*811.34 32-26750

TCHEKOV, A. P. The stories of Anton Tchekov; ed. with an introd. by R. N. Linscott.
32-6306

Popular copyright (edition) N. Y. Grosset, each, 75c.

BRADFORD, ROARK. Ol' King David an' the Philistine boys.
CARR, J. D. It walks by night.
COMSTOCK, *Mrs.* H. T. (S.) Fate is a fool.
HAUCK, LOUISE P. Sylvia.
HERGESHEIMER, JOSEPH. The party dress.
HULL, HELEN R. The asking price.
JORDAN, *Mrs.* H. R. A background for Caroline, by Helen Ashton, *pseud.*
MILLER, *Mrs.* A. (D.) Taxi.
NASON, L. H. A corporal once.
OGDEN, G. W. Steamboat gold.
QUEEN, ELLERY, *pseud.* The French powder mystery.
SCARLETT, ROGER, *pseud.* The Back Bay murders.
SEYMOUR, *Mrs.* B. K. (S.) False spring.
SINCLAIR, U. B. Roman holiday.
STARRETT, VINCENT. The blue door.
TARKINGTON, BOOTH. Gentle Julia.
—— Mirthful haven.
TREYNOR, A. M. Hawk of the desert.
WIGGIN, KATE D. (SMITH) Rebecca of Sunnybrook farm.

The **Reference** shelf. N. Y. Wilson, each, 90c.

MULLER, HELEN M., *comp.* Education by radio.
*371.333 Radio broadcasting || Radio—Laws and regulations 32-13041

The **Riverside** library. Bost. Houghton, $1.

VAUCAIRE, MICHEL. Bolivar, the liberator.

White house conference on child health and protection. N. Y. Century.

THE DELINQUENT CHILD; report of the Committee on socially handicapped—delinquency, F. P. Cabot, chairman. $3.50.
*364 Juvenile delinquency 32-26698

NUTRITION SERVICE IN THE FIELD; report of the Subcommittee on nutrition, Lucy H. Gillett, chairman. Child health centers: a survey; report of the Subcommittee on health centers, J. H. M. Knox, jr., chairman. $2.
*613.2 Children—Nutrition 32-26568

ORGANIZATION FOR THE CARE OF HANDICAPPED CHILDREN; national, state, local; report of the Committee on national, state and local organization for the handicapped, Kate B. Johnson, chairman. $2.75.
*362.7 Children, Abnormal and backward 32-26699

THE SCHOOL HEALTH PROGRAM; report of the Committee on the school child, T. D. Wood, chairman. $2.75.
*371.7 School hygiene 32-26700

World's classics. N. Y. Oxford, each, 80c; leather, each, $1.50.

TROLLOPE, ANTHONY. The last chronicle of Barset. 2v.
32-26674

American radio relay league. The radio amateur's handbook; a manual of amateur high-frequency radio communication, by the headquarters staff of the American radio relay league. 9th ed. West Hartford, Conn., The American radio relay league, 1932. 220p. illus. diag. papers, $1.

This profusely illustrated manual, dealing with the construction and operation of many types of apparatus, carries no statement of the amount of revision, and previous editions are not available for comparison. "Designed to be a practical rather than a theoretical work, theoretical discussions have been made as simple and fundamental as possible and the chief effort directed at practical means for securing results—which, after all, is the principal aim of the amateur in radio."—*Foreword.*
621.3841 Radio 32-2994

Arndt, Milton H. Battery brooding; a complete exposition of the important facts concerning the successful operation and handling of the various types of battery brooders. N. Y. Orange Judd, 1932. 325p. illus. $2.

Most of the text remains the same but new material relating to equipment and changes in method has been inserted, and a few new illustrations added. First edition was noted in *Booklist* 27:443, Je 31.

636.508337 Poultry 32-10084

Bradstreet, *Mrs.* **Anne (Dudley)** The works of Anne Bradstreet in prose and verse; ed. by J. H. Ellis. N. Y. Peter Smith, 1932. 432p. front. $7.50.

This collection, first published in 1867 and now reprinted, has a long biographical introduction. It is the first complete reprinting from the original manuscript of the poet's miscellaneous prose and verse. The poems published under the title *The tenth muse* are a reprint of the second edition, 1678.

*811.12 32-26751

Browne, Lewis. The graphic Bible from Genesis to Revelation, in animated maps & charts. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 160p. illus. 27cm. $1.50.

A reissue, at reduced price, of a book noted in *Booklist* 25:52, N 28

*220 Bible—Geography || Palestine—Historical geography || Bible—History of Biblical events 28-20143

Bury, John Bagnell. The idea of progress; an inquiry into its origin and growth; introd. by C. A. Beard. N. Y. Macmillan, 1932. 357p. $2.50.

The original text (*Booklist* 17:344, Jl 21) is reprinted without change, but with the addition of a forty-page introduction in which an American historian discusses Bury's theory of progress.

901 Progress || History—Philosophy 32-11686

Cellini, Benvenuto. The memoirs of Benvenuto Cellini; tr. by R. H. Cust; illus. by James Daugherty. N. Y. Duffield, 1932. 547p. illus. $3.50.

An unexpurgated translation, printed in large, clear type, and illustrated with numerous full-page drawings and chapter headings.

B 32-11441

Cheney, Sheldon. A primer of modern art; with 179 illus. 7th ed., rev. and enl. with 44 new illus. and an added bibliography. N. Y. Liveright, 1932. 383p. illus. $5.

Since the original publication in 1924 (*Booklist* 21:222, Mr. 25) there have been several reprints with only slight changes. The revision in this edition has not been enough to require resetting; new material on such subjects as Mexican and soviet art, Sur-realists, and Expressionism in the United States has been inserted, and the section on architecture expanded into a chapter. About forty new illustrations have been added or substituted. Libraries having a previous edition will probably not find replacement necessary, except for special art collections.

709 Art—Hist. || Impressionism (Art) 32-13249

Crawford, Albert Beecher, *ed.* The choice of an occupation; ed. by A. B. Crawford and S. H. Clement. New Haven, Pub. in the interest of students at Yale univ. by the Department of personnel study, 1932. 495p. 26cm. paper, $2; cloth, $3.

This book aims to help the individual analyze his abilities in relation to the types of activity which various occupations represent. Activities are analyzed as dealing primarily with people, ideas, or things. About seventy occupations are discussed: professions, occupations in the fields of science, engineering, business, and the productive industries. An earlier edition, more experimental in content, and incomplete, was privately printed by Yale university in 1929.

371.425 Profession, Choice of || Occupations 32-26438

Everyman's encyclopaedia. New and rev. ed., v. 9, Mastiff-Palissy; v. 10, Palitana-Rock crystal. Lond. Dent; N. Y. Dutton, 1931-1932. set of 12v., $30; each, $2.50.

Previous volumes of this revised edition were noted in *Booklist* 28:317, Mr 32, and in earlier issues.

*030 Encyclopedias and dictionaries (A31-1216)

Innes, William Thornton. Goldfish varieties and tropical aquarium fishes, a guide to aquaria and related subjects. 14th ed. 129-135 North 12th St., Philadelphia, Innes and sons, 1931. 316p. illus. $4.

This useful reference book on the care of fish in the home aquarium has gone through

many editions, but without statement of the amount of revision. Edition nine was noted in *Booklist* 23:352, My 27. No late editions are available for comparison. The publishers state that the material on tropical fish, which is condensed in this volume, will be supplemented by a forthcoming book on tropicals.

590.74 Aquariums || Goldfish 32-5269

Johnston, Harold Whetstone. The private life of the Romans; rev. by Mary Johnston (Lake classical series) Chic. Scott, Foresman, 1932. 430p. illus. maps. $2.24.

A revised, enlarged edition, with new material based on recent archeological research, and some new illustrations. For first edition see *A. L. A. catalog 1926.*

913.37 Rome—Soc. life & cust. 32-7692

Le Gallienne, Richard. Pieces of eight; being the authentic narrative of a treasure discovered in the Bahama Islands, in the year 1903—now first given to the public; illus. by J. S. Williams. N. Y. Peter Smith, 1932. 333p. illus. $2.

A reprint of a story of a treasure hunt, first noted in *A. L. A. catalog 1926.*

32-26654

Manly, Harold Phillips. Drake's cyclopedia of radio and electronics; a practical reference work. 179 North Michigan Ave., Frederick J. Drake, 1932. no. p. illus. diag. $5.

This work is actually the fifth edition of *Drake's radio cyclopedia.* It appears now in revised form with "new material on a variety of subjects; including sound pictures, public address systems, photocells, television, aviation radio, broadcasting, the new superheterodyne receivers, short wave reception, new tubes such as the variable-mu and pentode types and minor related subjects."—*Preface.* Fourth edition not available for comparison. For first edition see *Booklist* 24:236, Mr 28.

*621.384 Radio 32-26693

Marlowe, Christopher. The tragical history of Doctor Faustus; ed. by F. S. Boas; with three illus. N. Y. Dial, 1932. 221p. illus. $4.

This is the sixth volume of *The works and life of Christopher Marlowe.* The text follows the 1616 quarto, with variant readings from the version of 1604, and modernized spelling and punctuation. Bibliography of editions and critical works.

*822.32 32-26752

Ogg, Frederic Austin. Essentials of American government, by F. A. Ogg and P. O. Ray. N. Y. Century, 1932. 620p. diag. $3.

"In the main, this volume represents a condensation of our *Introduction to American Government,* the fourth edition of which was published in 1931. The opportunity has been seized, however, not only to rewrite many portions and to give suitable attention to various developments . . . but also to introduce some changes of arrangement . . ." —*Preface.* The third edition of *Introduction to American government* was entered in *Booklist* 25:331, My 29.

353 [342.73] U. S.—Pol. & govt. || State governments || Local government—U. S. 32-11597

Oliver, George W. Plant culture; a working handbook of every day practice for all who grow flowering and ornamental plants in the garden and greenhouse, by G. W. Oliver and A. C. Hottes. 6th ed. N. Y. De La Mare; Toronto, General pub. co., 1932. 442p. illus. $3.50.

A useful reference book for gardeners giving greenhouse plants, hardy perennials, annuals, bulbs, shrubs, vines, and water plants in alphabetical lists, with brief notes on culture and propagation and chapters on grafting and plant enemies. Previous edition is not available for comparison, but it is stated in the preface that little revision has been attempted beyond bringing the varieties up to date.

635.9 Gardening || Greenhouses 32-13322

Schermerhorn, Elizabeth W. The seven strings of the lyre; the romantic life of George Sand, 1804-1876. Popular ed. Bost. Houghton, 1932. 317p. illus. $2.50.

This narrative biography is not sensational, though the title refers to the seven love episodes of George Sand's life, and comparatively little space is given to her literary work. This is a popular-priced reprint of the original edition published in 1927.

B Sand, George, pseud. 28-6350

Scott, Cyrus Albert. The essentials of swimming pool sanitation. 123

N. Kostner Ave., Chic., the author, 1931. 126p. illus. $1.50.

Originally entered in the pamphlet list (*Booklist* 27:461, Je 31) this booklet is now issued in a substantial binding. It is a brief, non-technical manual covering general care, operation of filters, sterilization, and submarine lighting. Illustrated with photographs of apparatus and of public and private pools.

613.47 Swimming pools 31-9412

Shanks, Lewis Piaget. Anatole France, the mind and the man. N. Y. Harper, 1932. 236p. port. $2.50.

An expanded, partly rewritten edition of a biography first published in 1919 (*Booklist* 15:395, Jl 19) and for some time out of print.

B France, Anatole 32-11489

Sherman, Stuart Pratt. Matthew Arnold, how to know him; with portrait. N. Y. Peter Smith, 1932. 326p. port. $2.50.

A reprint of a book originally published by Bobbs-Merrill and noted in *Booklist* 14:16, O 17.

B Arnold, Matthew [17-13963]

Smith, George Adam. The historical geography of the Holy land; with 8 maps. 25th ed., rev. throughout. N. Y. Long & Smith, 1932. 744p. maps. $6.

Notes appended to early editions have been incorporated and new material added on political and social changes effected by the World war, as well as a new chapter on the Land of Edom. Previous edition is not available for comparison. An early edition was noted in *A. L. A. catalog 1926.*

*220.9 Palestine—Historical geography || Bible—Geography 32-26753

Tarboux, Joseph Galluchat. Electric power equipment. N. Y. McGraw-Hill, 1932. 2d ed. 493p. illus. diag. $5.

First edition (*Booklist* 24:105, D 27) is not available for comparison. The book is enlarged by about forty pages and it is stated in the preface that the text is completely revised, rearranged, and brought up to date with new material.

*621.3 Electric engineering 32-14968

Thompson, Francis. Poems of Francis Thompson; ed. with biographical and textual notes by T. L. Connolly. N. Y. Century, 1932. 581p. $3; student's ed., $2.25.

An attractively printed and well bound edition prepared for study and reference, with bibliographies, indexes, and two hundred and fifty pages of explanatory and critical notes analyzing the poems.

821.89 32-10862

Undset, Sigrid. The master of Hestviken; tr. from the Norwegian by A. G. Chater. N. Y. Knopf, 1932. 2v. set, $5.

This tetralogy, published in separate volumes during the last four years, now appears in two well bound volumes. *Contents:* v. 1, The axe—The snake pit; v. 2, In the wilderness—The son avenger.

32-26675

Walter, Frank Keller. Periodicals for the small library. 6th ed. Chic. American library association, 1932. 114p. paper, $1.

As in the previous edition (*Booklist* 24: 232, Mr 28) inclusion has been decided by votes of collaborators. The list includes two hundred and twenty-eight titles. Bibliographical data have been corrected to December 1, 1931. In answer to continued demand, the list of first choice periodicals for libraries of limited means has been revised and enlarged.

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This list is designed to bring to the attention of librarians, both in school and public libraries, titles of books which will prove of interest and value to older boys and girls. The selection is for the most part from adult books but includes also occasional titles from the children's section.

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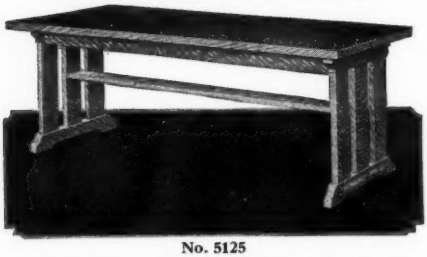

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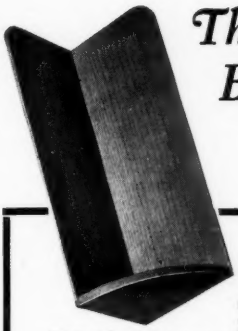

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